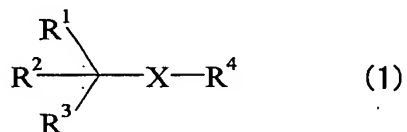


ABSTRACT

Provided are novel compounds having an inhibitory activity against production or secretion of β -amyloid protein. They embrace compounds represented by the following formula (1):



and capable of being replaced with a variety of substituents; and salts thereof, and solvates of any one of them.